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EMPLOYMENT FOR SCS/STS WOMEN
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Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) the employment opportunities generated during 1999-2000 as a result of new economic reforms and the number of Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes women benefited therefrom;

(b) the employment opportunities likely to be created in the next financial year; and

(c) the steps being taken by the Government to increase the employment opportunities for the above mentioned communities?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR & EMPLOYMENT (SHRI MUNI LALL)

a) & b) Estimates of employment are obtained on the basis of Quinquennial Surveys on employment and unemployment conducted by National Sample Survey Organisation (NSSO). Therefore, annual employment data is not available.

(c) The special employment programmes implemented by various Ministries have components for SCs and STs.Schemes like Prime Minister Rozgar Yojana, Swarna Jayanti Shahari Rozgar Yojana etc.all have special provisions for persons from SC/ST communities.